Supporting The Fleet

An Active Duty View To Preparation

Reserve PA Community

“Victims of their own success”

“Needs and expectations run high”

Smokey the Reservist

- Only you can prevent a bad AT/ADT….

Vision

- **Yours**
- **Unit's**
- **Theirs**
- **Avoid a mismatch**

Your Vision

- **Play to strengths or train on needed skills?**
- **Focus on Individual Training Plan**
- **Projects or a Seat Warmer?**
- **Why <u>there</u>? Paradise, Unique, or where the action is?**

Unit's Vision

- Training requirements
- Develop/maintain expertise
- Represent the unit
- Individual admin requirements

Their Vision

- Duties
- Expectations
- Nature of articles & photos
- Project insight
- Who is supervisor?
- Contact supported

Preparation

- Understand the mission
- Know the command
- Equipment
- Uniform &

Know the Command

- Command's Mission
- Organization
- Chain of Command
- What's hot?

Equipment

- Computer
- Cell phone
- Web access/email
- Camera
- Reference

Uniforms & Documents

- Office uniform
- Dress uniform
- Field uniform
- Passport/Credit card

On the Job

- Establish credibility
- Create Joint Vision
- Find a way to

Establish Credibility

- On time
- Walk the route
- Ask for work
- Work early, middle, late
- Priority - Work now,

Create Joint Vision

- Confirm your research
- Understand assignments
- Ask questions

Find a way to Wow!

- **Quick**
- **Thorough**
- **Creative**
- **Above expectations**
- **Leave them wanting more**

Just Desserts

- **Know the required “Eval”**
- **Inform at the outset**
- **Provide input, draft, final**

Questions